

### **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

This application has been carefully reviewed in view of the office Action dated June 2, 2004. In that Office Action the subject matter of Claims 7 and 14, taken in conjunction with the corresponding Independent Claims 1 and 9, was indicated as being allowable. Accordingly, Claims 1 and 9 have been amended to incorporate the subject matter of original Claims 7 and 14.

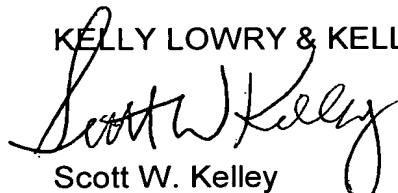
In view of the amendments to the application, which leave only subject matter previously indicated as being allowable, it is submitted that Claims 1-5, 8-12 and 15 are in condition for allowance, notice of which is respectfully requested.

### **TIME EXTENSION REQUEST**

Accompanying this Response is a Petition for One-month Extension of Time, and the required fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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